

Great Basin Incident Commander Fire Update



Date: July 26, 2021

Note taker: Gina Dingman/Richard Anderson

GB MAC/GACC Coordinator:

Agenda/Incident Commander Discussion Points: **Summarize the following in 4 min or less:**

- Fire Size / % contained / # of people / Cost to date
- Significant changes since the last 209
- BRIEF fire synopsis /Critical Incident Information (use Directional vs DIVS's)
- Political Issues / Community Meetings
- Closures / Evacuations / Public Safety Issues
- Major Safety Concerns / Injuries / Accidents
- Critical Resource Needs
- Resources Available to Reassign/Share/Demobilize

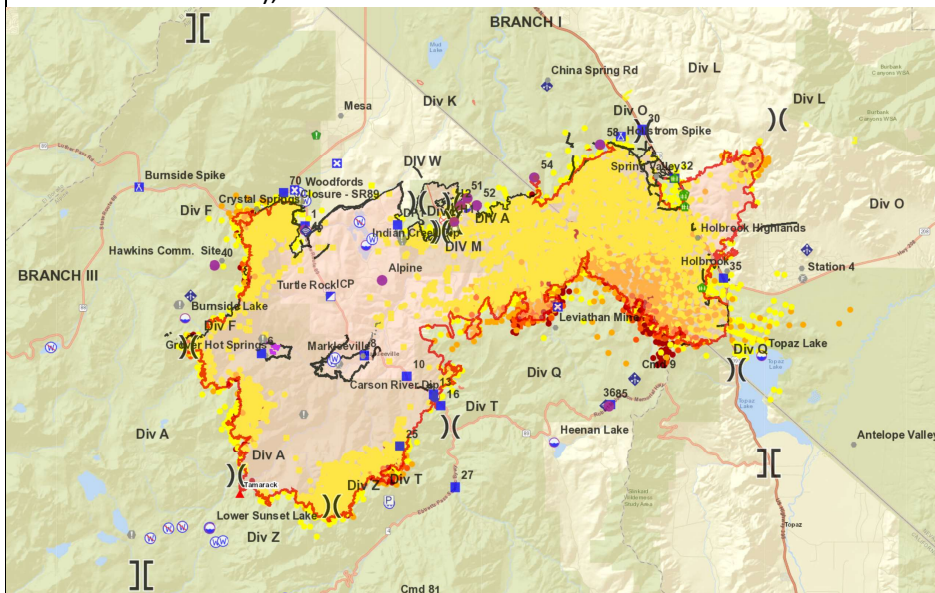
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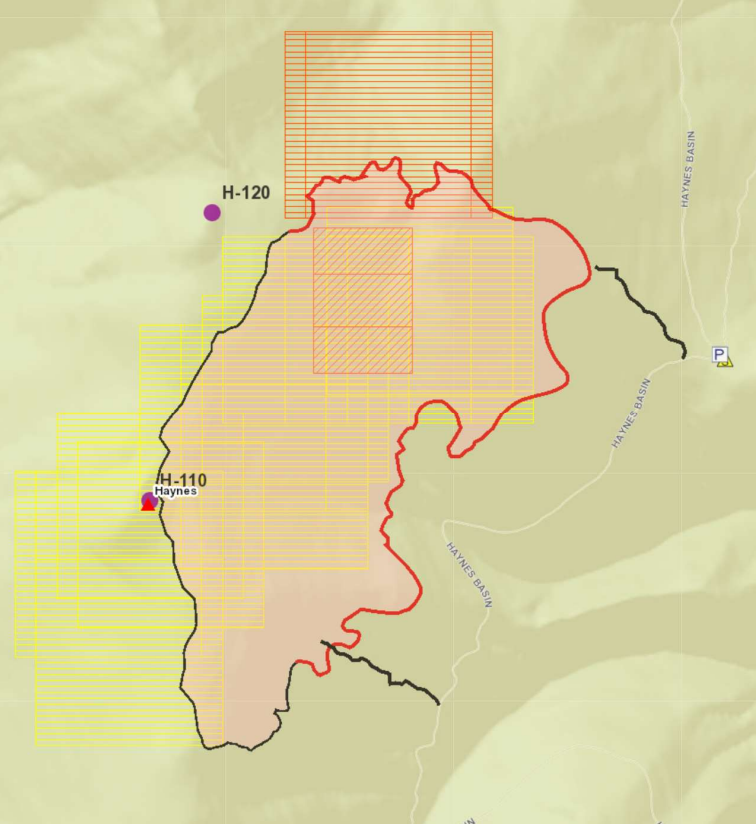
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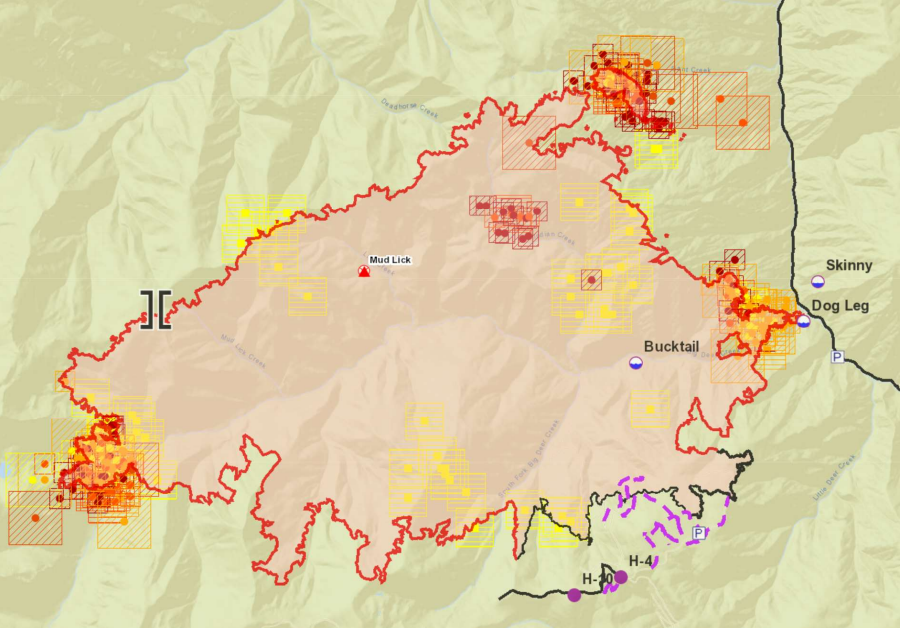
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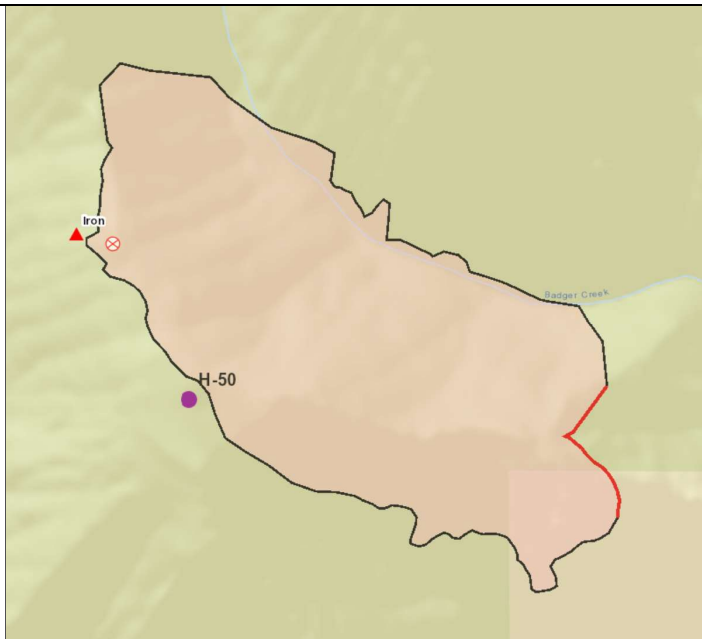
**T1 IMT RB Team:
Dan Dallas IC**

- 67,644+ acres/ 45% Contained/ 1,623 People/ \$15.8M Cost to Date
- Changes: Fire growth of 900 acres and 18% increased containment.
- Synopsis: Concentrated effort will be along DIV Q south towards DIV T today. Presentation preparation for DIV A ongoing. North side of the fire is looking good and crews have made great progress along that edge.
- Political Issues: Hwy 88 corridor reopened today at 0600. Supporting discussions to ensure the FMAG is in place for Alpine County as well as the Nevada Counties.
- Closures/Evacuations: Evacuations are still in place for Holbrook Junction, PCT Trail, Hwy. 89, and 395 corridors.
- Injuries/Accidents: 1 minor injury; treated and released.
- Safety Concerns: Snags, Urban interface, point protection and smokey conditions.
- Critical Needs: HELCO
- Resources Available: Released Scoopers, 50 Engines (timing out or being reassigned to the Dixie incident), and the Prescott IHCs where loaned for local IA.



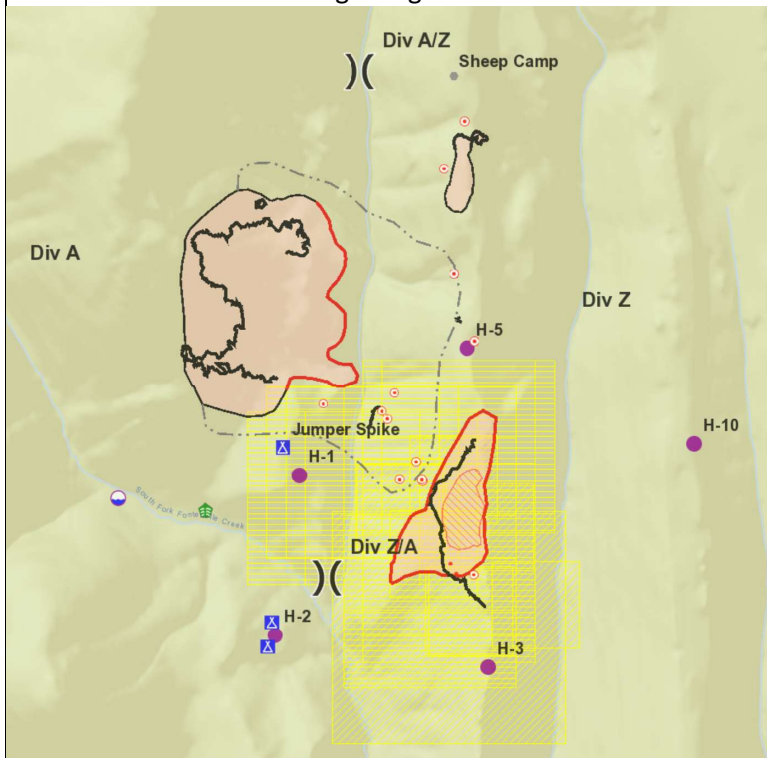
<p>2 Haynes, ID-SCF</p> <p>ICT2: GB Team 2 Tony DeMasters IC</p> <p>Report Out: ICT Sam Hicks</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acres: 472 acres / 45% Contained/ 183 People/ \$933K Cost to Date • 209 Changes: Increased containment. • Synopsis: Fire is located 12 miles SE of Salmon, ID. Will begin rightsizing the organization and a glidepath to transition this week. • Political Issues: Visible to Salmon community, Hwy.'s 93 and 28, grazing allotments, and timber sales. • Closures/Evacuations: Road closure, and visible to the public. • Safety Issues: Public recreation area, access, terrain, weather, extreme fire behavior. • Injuries/Accidents: None • Critical Needs: None • Available Resources: None; sharing with the Mud Lick and Haynes incidents. 
<p>3 Mud Lick ID-SCF</p> <p>ICT2: GB Team 2 Tony DeMasters</p> <p>Report Out: ICT Sam Hicks</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acres: 17,404 acres /50% Completed/ 594 People/ \$10.6M Cost to Date • 209 Changes: Fire growth of 495 acres and change of strategy (Contain, Confine, and Point Protection). Establishing a glidepath to transition toward the end of the week. • Synopsis: Fire is 23 miles W. of Salmon, ID. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ N: Fire is active along Gant Ridge towards Panther Creek. ○ E: Panther Creek line is 50% complete with minimal fire activity. ○ SW: Fire is approaching new unburned fuels in the wilderness. ○ W: Minimal fire activity towards the wilderness. • Political issues: High recreation area, mining district (Blackbird and Cobalt), grazing allotments, road closures, mandatory evacuations, fisheries, green tag hunting season. • Community meetings: Co-op meetings will be Mondays/Wednesdays/Fridays. • Closures: Trail closures are in place. Road closures: Panther Creek Rd. (down to the Porphyry Creek), Forest RD 113 (towards Bighorn Craggs), FS 021-101 (Williams Creek Rd. to Panther Creek. Rd.), 242, 098, and 020. Bighorn Craggs Camping Area closed and evacuations in Deer Creek.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Safety Issues: Excessive speeds on narrow roads, Highway driving, smoke conditions, snags, limited access, public access around heavy equipment, heat, public access points, weather.• Other concerns: Fire impact to the mines, lack of water in the area. Water treatment facility by the mines must be kept operational to ensure contaminated not be introduced into the water system for fisheries.• Accidents/Injuries: None• Critical Needs: ATGS, 3-T1 Crews, 4-DIV's, 4-HECM, ASGS, AOBD, HMGB, 4-REAF, COML, SOPL, ORDM, COMT, 3-HEQB, MEDL, 6-TFLD, AA• Available Resources: None; sharing resources with the Iron Fire near Williams Lake. 
<p>4</p> <p>Iron</p> <p>ID-SCF</p> <p>GB Team 2: Tony DeMasters IC</p> <p>Report Out: ICT Sam Hicks</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Acres: 133 acres / 95% Contained/ 32 People/ \$500K Cost to Date• 209 Changes: None• Synopsis: The fire is located 18 mi. S/SW of Salmon, ID, and is presently managed with the Mud Lick, and Haynes fires by GB Team 2 Tony DeMasters. The fire is maintained within the current footprint with minimal activity. Establishing a glidepath to transition this week.• Political Issues: Residence threat, cattle, grazing allotments, and Cooperator's Meeting today.• Closures/Evacuations: Road and area closures in affect.• Safety Issues: Limited access (no roads), terrain, roll outs, and snags.• Injuries/Accidents: None• Critical Needs: None• Available Resources: None.



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Shale Creek, WY-BTF
T3 IMT: Ron Steffens

- Acres: 189 acres / 60% Contained/ 105 People/ \$1.6M Cost to Date
- 209 Changes: 15% increased containment.
- Synopsis: Fire is located 31 miles N. of Kemerer, WY. Interior hot spot mop-up operations ongoing. Glidepath to transition to the District on Wednesday.
- Political Issues: None
- Closures/Evacuations: Area closure.
- Safety Issues: Aviation resources are working closely to ground resources.
- Injuries/Accidents: None
- Needs: T3 Caterer, Potable Water
- Available Resources: Beginning to demobilize resources.



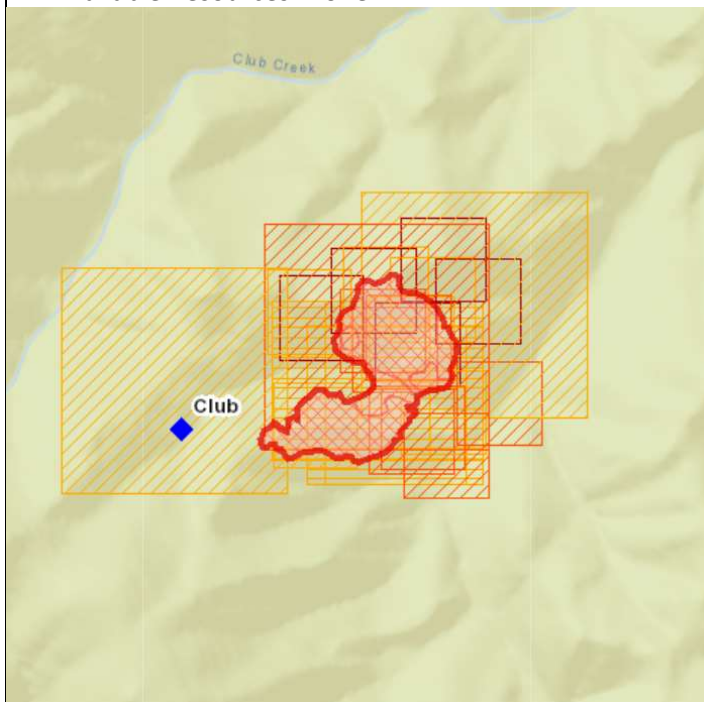
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Rush Creek/
Vinegar/ Club Fires
(All fires on ID-PAF)**

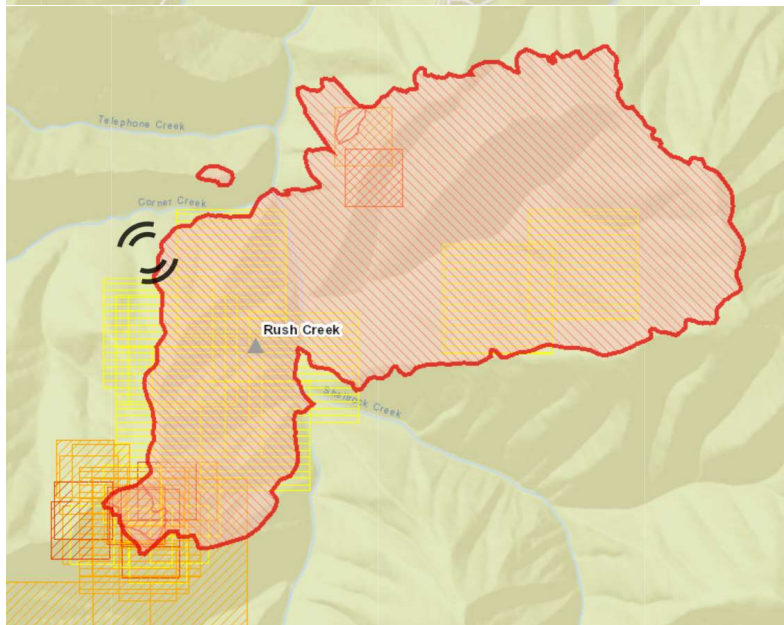
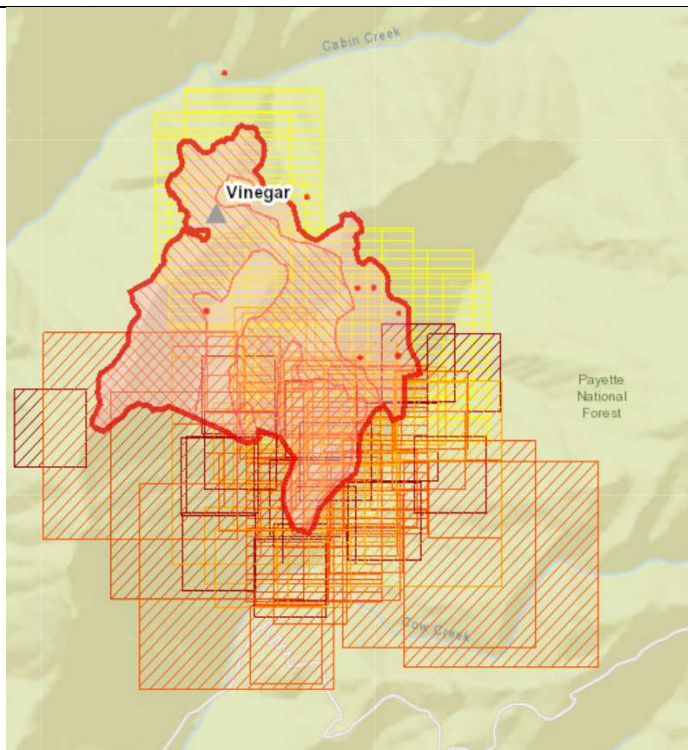
ICT3: Jeff Schricker

Report Out: N/A

**FIRES ARE IN A
MONITOR STATUS;
NO REPORT OUT**

- Rush Creek - 1,660 ac., Vinegar – 323 ac., Club – 36 ac. / 0% Contained/ 36 People/ \$100K Cost to Date
- 209 Changes:
- Synopsis: All fires are within a ~50 mi. radius of McCall, ID, and will be managed by the ICT3. Observed moderate fire growth on all fires yesterday. Continued structure protection on Taylor Ranch and engaging with aviation resources.
- Political Issues: Private wilderness lands, (USFS) Cabin Creek Airstrip closed.
- Closures/Evacuations: Cabin Creek Airstrip
- Safety Issues: None
- Injuries/Accidents: None
- Critical Needs: Continued aviation support and looking for 1 WFU Module
- Available Resources: None





Next IC Call

7/27/2021 at 0800 MT / 0700 PT

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